The Daily Paper of the Submarine Branch

# A.B. Harold Gill Here's a Photo and News from (ALIDY ALI Broad OLD) Home Where the property of the property o Here's a Photo

# Good 235 Death came to MANAOS-

THE world is crying out for rubber. Nations at war are telling their peoples to save rubber. Synthetic rubber is being made as fast as possible. And Manaos, the city which rubber built with prodigal luxury, where money flowed like water, where a box of matches often cost twenty shillings, where castles were erected and women wore jewels worth kings' ransoms — Manaos is weed-grown and mostly deserted.

Manaos sold rubber to every



Boom City





# HE KNEW WHY JANET Q

SALTER said, "Why Baldock, Miss Darcy?"

"Well, what do you know about him?"

"Nothing. Except the evidence he gave at Miss Warren's inquest and that he lives in the house by the old ruins. What do you know about him?"

"But didn't you go over to his place to take photographs yesterday?" Merrow put in.

"Yes, but I didn't see the man. I saw a gardener, who said that I was at liberty to go where I liked. A very civil fellow. But what's in Miss Darcy's mind?"

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Chaldean. Doctor Argent thinks

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Gwen answered in a small, rather diffident voice.

"You'll laugh at me, I daresay. But I don't care if you do. I believe Mr. Baldock is the man you were talking about yesterday—the man who was really blackmailing Janet. Logan, you said he was."

"I'd been leading him on.
He said Janet drew his attention to the colour of some early gladioli. Janet didn't know a gladioli. Janet didn't know a gladiolis from a chrysanthemum. I made him tell me more of what she'd said about flowers. I said she was particularly fond of marigolds and always called them marybuds. He said he remembered her doing so. Now, Mr. Salter," Gwen leaned forward to emphasise her words, "I knew Janet as well as anybody—better. She disliked flowers and knew nothing about them, I tell you. I think they must have been connected in her mind with that cottage at l'm right, l'm sure l'm right."

"Mustn't jump too quickly
to conclusions," Salter said.
"What's he like, this man Baldock? Can you describe him?"
Merrow started to answer, but Gwen got in first.
"He's a sandy-haired, ratfaced man, really," she said.
"He's going grey. Weak sort of eyes that don't look at you straight. Wears thick glasses."
"Got a beard?"

# WANGLING

1. Place the same two letters, in the same order, both before and after PLANAD, to make a

word.

2. Rearrange the letters of NO LARK MICK, to make a Scottish town.

3. Altering one letter at a time, and making a new word with each alteration, change: START into STOPS, MANY into MUCH, SHARP in to STEEL, BOOK into MARK.

4. How many 4-letter and 5-letter words can you make

letter words can you make from STUPEFACTION?

# Answers to Wangling Words-No. 189

1. ILL-WILL.
2. ALTRINCHAM.
3. ANTI, ANTS, ARTS, ARMS, RIMS, RIMS, RIME, RISE, RISK, RINK, RANK,

EARLY, EARLS, EARNS, BARNS, BARES, BARDS,

4. Coin, Vote, Cay

Antic, Voice, etc.







"I'd better go and see what he wants, I suppose," Merrow

Chaldean. Doctor Argent thinks so, too.

"But Janet couldn't have told a marigold from a buttercup, and she'd be just as likely to have known the old names for them as to have known the—the names in Chinese. It was absolutely against all her character. The whole of that story that man told was false. I don't believe she ever sat in his garden at all. I—I—"
She broke off suddenly. "Oh, I know it all seems so utterly weak now I'm telling it, but I'm right, I'm sure I'm right."

"Mustn't jump too quickly

he wants, I suppose," Merrow said.

Salter rose.

"You'll want to see him up here, I expect," he said. "We'd better leave you."

Police Constable Hawes came in, carrying his cap and looking mildly surprised at being brought upstairs.

"Hope I'm not disturbing you, sir, but I've got to ask your help. Jimmy Bailey's landed us in a pack of trouble after all," he said.

"Why, what's the trouble?"

Merrow asked.

"Well, sir, from what the house surgeon says, if he dies it'll be the result of the crack he got on his head the other night, and you can see what that means."

# USELESS EUSTACE



"Voice?"
"Dreary and unctuous."
"Not always, Gwen," Merrow broke in. "Pedantic rather;
soft and persuasive."
"He'd be persuasive all
right," Salter said cynically.
"It sounds as if it might be
Logan. He had a beard when
I last saw him, and there was
nothing the matter with his
eyes. Hair doesn't quite tally,
either, but that could be
faked. Rat-faced is good.
Logan was rat-faced."
"But surely it's easy enough

ing the letters of Mick, to make a making a new word a alteration, change in the STOPP MANY for you to check this if you went up to his house. You went up to his house. You went up to his house it was any 4-tetter and 50 ords can you make ITEFFACTION?

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FRINCHAM.

ITI. ANTS. ARTS. ARTS. ARTS. ARIS, ARIS, RIME, POOCE, TOOR, EARLY, EARLS, EARNS, BARES, BARDS.

JOSE TOORS, EARLY, EARLS, EARNS, BARES, BARDS, BOOK, ITI. ANTS. ARTS. ARTS.

at Wilborough says the doctor reckons it was all the result of that crack he got and he must have been as tough as the devil to have carried on so long. Now the point, sir, is, I've got to find the chap that hit him. Would you give me everything you can remember?"

Merrow racked his memory

Tational about the river? "he asked.

"If you ask me, sir, none of it was rational—" Hawes broke off as the door opened. Salter came in, and Hawes dinner-jacket, plus-fours, frock coat, petit fours, sweater, flannel bags?

Merrow began in a hesitating way, "Oh, Hawes, this is Mr.

Merrow racked his memory "5. Who invented the miner's

ma everything you can remember?"

Merrow began in a hesitating work of the more he considered it, the more possible, even probable, it seemed, and, like a fool, he had never even recognised it be fore. This something curious about Bailey's behaviour, the something that was behind it all. Suddenly he rose.

"Excuse me a minute, Hawes," he said, "I won't be long." "Excuse me a minute, Hawes," he said, "I won't be long." "Has your policeman gone?" he asked as Merrow came in. Merrow waid, "No. But there's a big development, wanted to tell you before told Hawes." Quickly he retailed what the constable had said, then: "He spoke of motive, and it came to me. You remember what I said about Bailey in the Tap Room when they were baiting him?"

"Yes."

"About who set the snares that night Miss Warren was the condition of the condition

The Lady in Number Four

By Richard Keverne—Part XVIII

# for today

A mandrake is a Spanish judge, plant, bird, architectural term, Chinese boat, firearm?

# ODD CORNER

WHICH is better (asked Lewis Carroll), a clock that is right only once a year, or a clock that is right twice every day? Most people would say a clock that is right twice every day, but see what follows:—

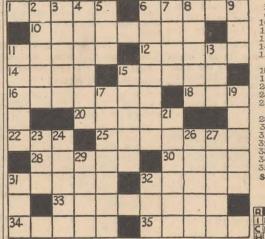
day, but see what follows:—
"I have two clocks; onedoesn't go at all, and the
other loses a minute a day.
Which would you prefer?
'The losing one,' you
answer, 'without a doubt.'
Now observe: The one which
loses a minute a day has
to lose twelve hours, or
720 minutes, before it is
right again, consequently it
is only right once in two

years, whereas the other is evidently right as often as the time it points to comes round, which happens twice a day." It looks as if the clock which doesn't go at all is the better time-keeper!

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Zeno, the Greek philosopher, thought that all motion is an illusion, for (said he) consider an arrow in flight. At any given instant it is quite definitely in a particular place. But the time of its flight is made up entirely of instants, one after the other, with no time in between them. When, then, does the arrow make its move from each particular place to each next particular place?

# CROSSWORD CORNER



CLUES DOWN.

2 Dodge, 3 Large beast. 4 Hard surfaces. 5 Colour, 6 Fretted, 7 Girl's name, 8 School book. 9 S.udge, 11 Sonant. 13 Kind of deer, 15 Weary, 17 Emphasizes, 19 Unfit, 21 Drying. 23 Past. 24 Pine trunk for tossing, 26 Swain, 27 Unite. 29 Liquid measure, 31 Long tear, 32 Unsorted type.

CLUES ACROSS

Be sold for 6 Domain.
10 Powerful.
11 Li-defined.
12 Heaped.
14 Poems.
15 Of sea movements.
16 Convinced.
18 Snow-shoe.
20 Twist.
22 Red resin.
25 Mark of sibilance.

sibilance 28 Yawned. 30 Stern of ship. 31: Bird. 32 Turning point. 33 Inter-weaves. 34 Separates.

Separates. Heron.

Solution to Prob-lem in 234.



# BEELZEBUB JONES

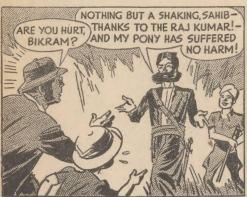




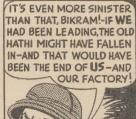




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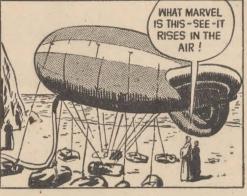




**GARTH** 









JUST JAKE









# **ARGUE THIS OUT FOR** YOURSELVES

NO MORE WARS (1).

THE nations are engaged in a second war because, despite the lesson of the first, they deliberately rejected the moral principle which is, after all, the foundation of all humane civilisation. This most elementary of all rights, the right to life, whether as a nation or as a person, the right to existence, the right not to be destroyed, not to be made the victim of lawless violence, that right must be defended collectively, by a society of persons or of nations, as the case may be, or it cannot be defended at all.

Sir Norman Angell (Nobel Peace Prize for 1933).

NO MORE WARS (2).

THE only lasting way to banish war is for the men and women of all countries to carry about the conviction that any war, however right they were to enter it—and I have no shadow of doubt we were right to go to war—whichever side they took, whether they were winners or losers, any war is, for the whole of God's world, a failure and a disgrace.

John Christie (Headmuster of Westminster).

Westminster).

NO MORE WARS (3).

The war of 1914 did not end war because, in the nature of things, it could not eradicate old memories of wrong; because, being war, it created fresh bitter memories and roused fresh suspicions; because it stimulated rather than put to sleep the fighting animal in man; and because it was followed by no determined effort to keep in order those potentially very strong national societies that prized the fighting animal most and did most to nourish him.

Sir John Clapham (Vice-Provost, King's College, Cambridge).

CUR M.P.s.

EVERY other Member of Parliament is either a barrister, a company director, or a trade union official. Of the weekly wage-earners, their wives and dependants, all are underrepresented on a population basis, except the miners, who get roughly twice the representation to which they are entitled. Ninety per cent. of the Conservative Members are public school boys, and no less than one in every four is actually an Etonian. On the other hand, ninety per cent. of the Labour Members left school at the age of fourteen or under. Which is worse? It is hard to say.

Quintin Hogg, M.P.

LEISURE HOURS.

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It is in his leisure hours that a man's true character is revealed. It was never so true as in this mechanical age, that it is only "on vacation" that a man (or woman) can be their "real selves." Are the "pictures," the Soccer matches or the "dogs" true mirrors of the real self of the Soul of England? If so, what would Pericles or Socrates think of our chances of survival in the post-war world?

H. Martyn Sanders.

U.S.A. AND U.K.

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Is it not somewhat unreasonable to expect that individuals who have agreed to work together must necessarily be expected to play together? Small boys forced together by their parents because "it will be so nice for Tommy to play with Johnnie" probably succeed, very shortly, in blacking each other's eyes. The same two small boys, left to themselves on the sands at the seaside, will doubtless be found, equally quickly, co-operating in the building of the same sand castle. (Verb. Sap.)

Basil Cleaver.

THE AVERAGE SOLDIER?

THE average soldier is a mixture, like most of us, reactionary in somethings, progressive in others. He is the deepest blue in regard to that Britain that he knew, appreciated, and hopes to come back to, and rather red in regard to things in our make-up that he thinks unfair, such as great wealth, great poverty, overwhelming hereditary advantages and inequality of opportunity. . If there is anything that the average soldiers have no time for it is for a Britain built on foreign lines.

Lieut.-Col. Rayner, M.P.

FIRST THINGS FIRST.

A LL the plans for education, social security, and new towns and cities, will ultimately be of little avail unless there is a strong and sturdy people to make use of them. Our policy should be "First things first," and the first thing should be the foundation, which foundation was the physical quality of the younger generation. generation.

Admiral Sir William James, M.P.

RUSSIA-THE FUTURE.

THE Soviet Union has attained a consciousness of strength which will permit it to dispense with restrictions natural in days of difficulty and insecurity, and to recognise that personal and group freedom, governed by common loyalty to principles now generally accepted, will contribute to the happiness, the unity and the strength of its people.

Dr. J. H. Rushbrooke.

"Good Morning,"
C/o Press Division,
Admiralty,
London, S.W.I.

# This England

The Lion Hotel, Farningham, West Kent, as seen from the bridge which crosses the river Darent. Looks like a hot sort of day, with windows wide open to make that cool lounge more inviting than ever.

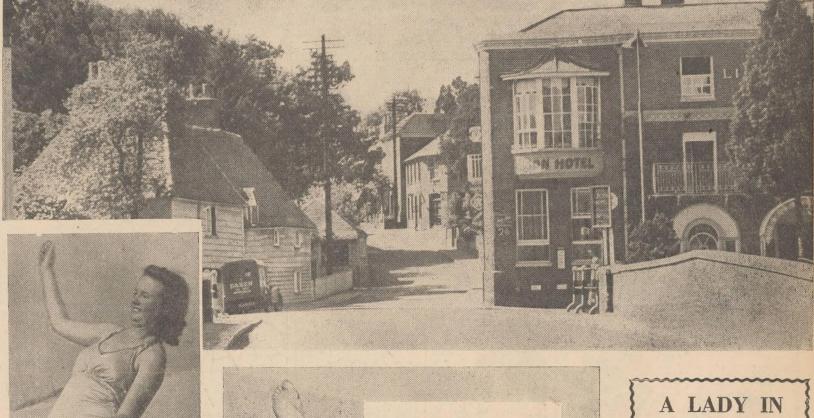


"Barrel walking child's play! I could globe-trot on this thing."



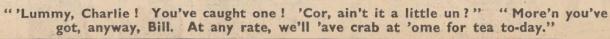
SOMETHING TO CROW ABOUT

He can do it with his eyes



"Hum! Not quite so easy. Looks as though I'm doing the 'Beerbarrel polka.'"









"Salad days again?"

SHIP'S CAT SIGNS OFF

